



**New Building of Vermont Highway Dept. District No. 3,
Located on McKinley Avenue in Rutland Town.**

Annual Report
**TOWN OF
RUTLAND
VERMONT**

Year Ending December 31st 1969

**New Vermont State Police Building, Troop C,
Located on McKinley Avenue in Rutland Town.**



Rutland Town Report 1969

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TOWN OFFICERS

	<i>Term Expires</i>
Moderator Sherwin L. Williams	1970
Clerk and Treasurer Andrew L. Orzel	1970
Listers George Livak	1970
	J. Barry Burke 1971
	John D. Flory, Jr. 1972
Selectmen Robert W. Solari	1970
	Frederick C. Gallipo 1971
	Edward H. Hemenway 1972
Road Commissioner Marshall B. Fish	1970
School Directors Mrs. Veronica Guimond	1970
	Alva T. Howe 1971
	William B. Thomas 1972
Tax Collector C. John Morse	1970
First Constable C. John Morse	1970
Second Constable Paul J. Gawet	1970
Grand Juror C. John Morse	1970
Auditors R. John Davidson	1970
	Albert H. Delliveneri 1971
	Donald J. Taylor 1972
District Representative Emerson A. Peake	
Health Officer Donald F. Icken, D.V.M.	
Fire Warden George Livak	
Fire Chief Richard Spicer	
Civil Defense Chairman Robert H. Solari	
Cemetery Commissioners George Livak	1970
	Sherwin L. Williams 1971
	Byron J. Hathaway 1972

**AUDITORS' REPORT OF RUTLAND TOWN
FINANCIAL CONDITION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1969**

**Balance Sheet for the Period Ending
December 31, 1969**

ASSETS

Balance in:

General Account	\$856.30	
Highway Account	133.62	
Alden Pinney Trust Fund	164.62	
Cemetery Fund	711.12	
Rutland Town Fire District	185.44	
Due from State of Vermont	3,548.52	
		\$5,599.62

LIABILITIES

Proctor Trust Co., Loans	\$16,500.00	
Unpaid Selectmen's Bills	5,490.09	
Unpaid Road Commissioner's Bills	614.94	
Unpaid Fire District Account Bills	999.82	
		\$23,604.85
Deficit		\$18,005.23
Fire District Loan to Establish Fire Dept.		\$120,500.00
To Be Amortized @ \$15,000.00 During Next Eight (8) Years.		
Total Net Indebtedness		\$138,505.23

Respectfully submitted,

R. JOHN DAVIDSON

ALBERT H. DELLIVENERI

DONALD J. TAYLOR

Board of Auditors

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Summary of Orders from January 1, 1969 To December 31, 1969

Agricultural Services:		
Vermont Agricultural Service		\$1,800.00
Bridges, Roads and Culverts:		
Highway Account—Surfacing New Roads		\$5,000.00
Cemeteries:		
Mrs. Martha Hollman	\$112.93	
Byron Hathaway	106.00	
		\$218.93
Dump:		
City Treasurer, Rutland, Vt.		\$540.00
Equipment, New and Repair:		
Ben Tumielewicz	\$12.10	
State Equipment Co.	69.33	
		\$81.43
Fires, Grass and Forest:		
Gene Hathaway	\$3.50	
George Livak	22.10	
		\$25.60
Insurance and Bonds:		
Kinney, Pike, Bell and Conner	\$371.50	
Coop. Fire Insurance Assoc.	13.30	
		\$384.80
Interest:		
Proctor Trust Co.		\$1,547.13
Legal Services:		
Abatiell & Abatiell		\$2,008.80
Library:		
Rutland Free Library		\$1,500.00
Lights:		
Central Vermont Public Service Corp.		\$2,869.20
Miscellaneous:		
C. L. Champine	\$10.00	
Anthony Gill	20.00	
Andrew Orzel	34.52	
Henry Del Bianco	10.25	
Jesse Billings, Jr.	200.16	
Richard J. Creed	376.72	
Ben's Lawn Mower Service	6.77	

Joan Burke	30.00	
Andrea Burke	25.00	
Mary C. Solari	50.00	
C. R. Athletic Assoc.	1,000.00	
Marie G. Durfee	401.00	
Raymond S. and Joena Seward	150.17	
Temple Bros., Inc.	154.56	
Barbara Wall	406.49	
L. Richard Willis	10.82	
Theodore Kusina	33.81	
John E. Drinwater	38.64	
Highway Account	3,537.60	
Mrs. Joena S. Seward	735.71	
Town of Brattleboro	108.75	
W. C. Landon	3.00	
R. E. Dezero & Son	5.05	
Rutland Hospital	98.50	
C. John Morse	39.15	
O. W. Signor	5.25	
Stevia Chaffee	7.31	
Linda Gallipo	4.00	
Vermont Institutional Industries	17.40	
Paul Shedd	265.00	
		\$7,785.63
Officers' Salaries and Services:		
George Livak	\$721.10	
R. John Davidson	200.00	
Donald Taylor	200.00	
Albert Delliveneri	200.00	
Orin Thomas	23.75	
Byron Hathaway	28.75	
Kenneth Connor	38.45	
Ernest Olson	29.50	
Ken Kellogg	46.25	
Robert Solari	716.86	
Frederick Gallipo	432.15	
Edward Hemenway	438.66	
Andrew Orzel	46.25	
Walter Patch	6.25	
C. John Morse	62.90	
Albert Adams	50.35	
Sherwin Williams	22.50	
Harley Blakey	22.50	
Donald F. Icken, D.V.M.	887.00	
John D. Flory, Jr.	296.50	
J. Barry Burke	554.85	
Paul Shedd	65.00	
		\$5,089.57
Old Age Assistance Tax:		
State Treasurer, Montpelier		\$5,058.00

Printing, Postage and Supplies:

Huntoon Business Machines	\$1,074.72	
Murphy Office Equipment	52.33	
Vermont Institutional Industries	12.00	
Tuttle Stationery Co.	35.24	
Mildred Murphy	248.05	
Novak Printing Co.	1,378.50	
Verna Sprague	25.00	
S. K. Forms	30.30	
Rutland Herald	113.87	
Joseph J. Marotti	43.25	
Andrew Orzel	18.08	
Hall-McChesney, Inc.	138.89	
Eastman's	3.10	
		\$3,173.33

State Aid Highway Assessment:

Treasurer, State of Vermont	\$375.20
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Taxes, County and Social Security:

C. W. Campbell, Treasurer	\$2,427.97	
Treasurer, State of Vermont	507.22	
		\$2,935.19

Regional Planning:

Rutland Regional Planning Commission	\$500.00
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Winter Maintenance:

Chemical Corp. (Salt)	\$12,545.88	
Mrs. Mary Ann Crossman	2,889.25	
Marshall B. Fish	8,271.05	
Russell Lewis	857.75	
Newton Wetmore	968.75	
Ernest McKirryher	650.73	
Joseph P. Carrara & Sons	216.98	
R. J. Creed	1,433.95	
Gawet Marble & Granite	684.70	
Robert Conway	140.00	
Adrian Fales	100.00	
Jesse Billings, III	120.00	
Mintzer Bros.	46.90	
Town of Mendon	462.67	
Quirk Bros.	55.30	
Anthony Flory	15.00	
George Livak	124.00	
		\$29,582.91

Recording Fees and Licenses:

Andrew L. Orzel	\$4,077.84
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Telephone:

New England Telephone	\$87.47
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Town Property Expense:		
Byron Hathaway	\$20.00	
O. W. Signor	12.00	
Mac Equipment & Steel Co.	39.00	
Vermont Institutional Industries	7.19	
Vermarco Ground Products	21.90	
		<u>\$100.09</u>
Note Payments:		
Proctor Trust Co.		\$71,200.00
Temporary Loan:		
Highway Account		\$51,500.00
Temporary Loan:		
Fire Account		<u>\$10,400.00</u>
Total Disbursements		<u>\$207,841.12</u>
Total Receipts		\$209,631.50
Less 1969 Property Tax Check Payment		
Returned For Insufficient Funds		<u>\$933.93</u>
Total Receipts		<u>\$208,697.57</u>
Total Receipts		\$208,697.57
Total Disbursements		<u>\$207,841.12</u>
Balance		<u>\$856.45</u>

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT W. SOLARI

FREDERICK C. GALLIPO

EDWARD H. HEMENWAY

Selectmen

RUTLAND TOWN
GENERAL ACCOUNT BUDGET FOR 1970

	Proposed Budget 1969	Actual Expenditures 1969	Proposed Budget 1970
Agricultural Services	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00	\$1,800.00
Bridges, Roads & Culverts	5,000.00	5,000.00	15,000.00
Cemeteries	400.00	218.93	400.00
Dump	540.00	540.00	540.00
Equipment, New & Repairs	1,000.00	1,081.43	1,000.00
Interest	1,000.00	1,547.13	3,000.00
Insurance & Bonds	1,000.00	384.80	500.00
Legal Services	1,000.00	2,008.80	2,000.00
Lights	2,800.00	2,869.20	3,000.00
Miscellaneous	300.00	739.95	800.00
Salaries, Services & Clerical	6,000.00	5,089.57	7,500.00
Old Age Assistance Tax	5,000.00	5,058.00	5,500.00
Printing & Postage	2,300.00	2,173.23	2,300.00
Taxes, County & Social Security	4,100.00	2,935.19	3,200.00
State Aid Highway Patrol	500.00	375.20	500.00
Town Property Expense	.....	100.09	500.00
Winter Maintenance	20,000.00	29,582.91	30,000.00
4% Discount on Taxes	18,045.00	17,291.63	24,800.00
Due Proctor Trust Co.	5,700.00	5,700.00	16,500.00
Miscellaneous Supervision Highways & Lot Developments	.....	.....	2,500.00
Refund Due to Tax Appeals	.....	2,107.08	1,180.00
Contingency Fund	.....	.....	900.00
Sub Total	\$76,485.00	\$87,004.14	\$123,420.00
Less following items:			
Return from Fire Account	\$.....	\$.....	\$2,900.00
Return from Highway Acct.	.....	.....	10,500.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	3,147.25	3,845.00	3,900.00
Sub Total	\$73,337.75	\$83,159.14	\$106,120.00
Items by Ballot:			
Library	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$2,500.00
Athletic Club	.....	1,000.00	1,000.00
Regional Planning	500.00	500.00	1,100.00
Total	\$75,337.75	\$86,159.14	\$110,720.00

CENTER RUTLAND ATHLETIC CLUB, INC.

	Receipts	
Town of Rutland		\$1,000.00
	Disbursements	
Jade Valley Gifts, Baseballs		\$95.00
Joe F. Czachor Agency, Insurance		220.50
Wilson Sports Equipment Corp., Equipment		439.18
Lindholm Sport Center, Inc., Shirts		216.30
Mintzer Bros., Fence		9.02
Johnson Landscape Forestry Service, Spraying		20.00
		\$1,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. DEL BIANCO

Secretary-Treasurer

DOG LICENSE REPORT

208 Males and Spayed Females @ \$2.00	\$416.00	
47 Males and Spayed Females @ 3.00	141.00	
28 Females @ 6.00	168.00	
3 Females @ 9.00	27.00	
1 Kennel License @ 30.00	30.00	
1 State Kennel License @ 1.00	1.00	
3 Males @ 1.00	3.00	
		\$786.00
291 Licenses @ .75 Fee		— 218.25
Net Revenue to General Account		\$567.75

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW L. ORZEL,

Town Clerk

**1969 REPORT
RUTLAND TOWN FIRE DISTRICT**

Gasoline	\$399.43
Telephone	675.36
Answering Service	198.00
Fuel Oil	1,164.61
Electricity	630.88
Insurance	1,843.35
Fire Equipment	1,108.45
Salaries	4,999.29
Taxes, County and Social Security	244.67
Miscellaneous	1,253.31
Snow Plowing	136.00
Interest	6,564.90
Note Payments (Proctor Trust Co.)	15,000.00
	\$34,219.25
Temporary Loan	
Reimbursement to General Account	7,500.00
	\$41,719.25
Total Receipts	\$41,904.69
Total Disbursements	41,719.25
Balance	\$185.44

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT W. SOLARI

FREDERICK C. GALLIPO

EDWARD H. HEMENWAY

Selectmen

TOWN OF RUTLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT BUDGET

	Proposed Budget 1969	Actual Expenditures 1969	Proposed Budget 1970
Supplies	\$300.00	\$348.90	\$300.00
Gas & Oil	300.00	399.43	600.00
Telephone	625.00	675.36	700.00
Fuel	1,000.00	1,164.61	1,200.00
Answering Service	200.00	198.00	200.00
Electricity	200.00	630.88	650.00
Insurance	2,350.00	1,843.35	1,900.00
New Equipment	500.00	1,108.45	700.00
Salaries	5,000.00	4,999.29	5,000.00
Social Security	250.00	244.67	250.00
Loan Payment	15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
Snow Plowing	100.00	136.00	200.00
Interest on Notes	4,731.20	6,564.90	6,600.00
Truck Maintenance	300.00	.....	300.00
Miscellaneous	100.00	904.41	300.00
Refund Due to Tax of Appeals			617.29
Deficit	.....	.....	2,715.00
Contingency	.....	.....	300.00
	\$30,956.20	\$34,218.25	\$37,532.29

FIRES IN 1969

Jan.	16	Robert Ruane (Mutual Aid), Barn
Jan.	18	Agnes Reynold, Chimney
Feb.	19	Casella's Gas Station, Gas Pump Kenneth Guess's Car
Feb.	20	Harold Billings, Furnace Smoking
Mar.	25	Vermont Marble Company, Pole
Apr.	6	Central Vermont Public Service Corp., Grass
Apr.	7	Charles Heath, Grass
Apr.	7	Farrell's Distributing Co., Grass
Apr.	8	Farrell's Distributing Co., Grass
Apr.	9	Central Vermont Public Service Corp., Grass
Apr.	9	A. Nelson, Grass
Apr.	13	R. J. Creed, Garage
Apr.	13	Huntoon, Grass
Apr.	13	Carrara, Grass
Apr.	15	Pulling, Grass
Apr.	15	G. Marshall, Grass
Apr.	27	R. J. Creed, Grass
Apr.	27	Burroughs, Grass
Apr.	27	James White, Grass
Apr.	27	R. J. Creed, Grass
Apr.	30	Hilda Buffum, Grass
May	13	W. Dutton, Grass
May	18	J. Carrara, Junk
May	18	M. Wilson, Washing Machine
May	20	James Taylor, Bedroom
May	22	Bo-Mac, Grass
June	19	Howard Johnson, Kitchen
June	20	Roland Bartlett, Car
July	9	Kenneth Kellogg, Brush
July	18	Charles Turco, Bedroom
July	27	Carris Bigelow, Saw Mill
Aug.	13	Capen Brush (Mutual Aid)
Aug.	15	Betty Whittemore, Car
Sept.	13	Frank Lindholm, Car
Oct.	3	Hitzel Development, Junk
Oct.	5	John Flory, Incinerator
Oct.	16	William St. Peter, Chimney
Oct.	19	G. G. Corsonnes, 19th Green Building
Nov.	2	R. J. Creed, Barn
Nov.	16	Larry Garrow, Grease

I wish to thank the Officers and men of the Fire Department, also Ladies Auxiliary for the dedication and fine service in the past and looking forward to their continued support in the future.

Many thanks to the town people and businesses for their support. By all citizens of our town working together we will continue to be an organization to be proud of.

CHIEF RICHARD SPICER

REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONER

1969 Orders Drawn

General Account, Repay Loans, Tax Rebate	\$42,133.59
Marshall B. Fish, Equipment and Services	11,498.90
Treasurer, State of Vermont, State Forces	10,443.17
Vermont Paving Corp., Hot Mix	7,063.89
All State Asphalt, Asphalt	4,984.31
R. J. Creed, Equipment	4,958.45
L. M. Pike & Son, Inc., Hot Mix	4,141.79
Wilk Bros., Paving Ditches, Road Leveling	4,060.30
Lema Carter, Equipment	4,032.00
Joseph P. Carrara, Crushed Stone	3,363.50
Vermarco, Ground Products, Filler and Cold Patch	2,362.64
Ernest Bowen, Crushing Gravel	2,446.50
Ernest McKirryher, Equipment	2,238.75
Newton Wetmore, Labor	2,019.00
Russell Lewis, Labor	1,747.75
Northeastern Culvert Co., Culverts, Bands, Well Casings	1,089.66
Defiance Asphalt Co., Asphalt	1,041.50
Orin Thomas & Sons, Gravel	951.80
Lyle Wheeler, Truck	608.60
Leslie Wood, Truck	479.40
Dufresne & Henry Engineering Corp., Engineering Service	409.50
Quirk Bros., Truck	367.20
Rutland Tree Service, Cutting Trees	325.00
Treasurer, State of Vermont, S. S. Division, Social Security	297.72
Parker, Danner Co., Compressor and Road Torches	238.78
Frank Elnicki, Excavation	244.00
Russell Lewis, Equipment	212.00
J. Barry Burke, Mowing Road Sides	207.00
Mintzer Brothers, Chloride	204.25
Taggart Bros., Inc., Equipment, Lincoln Avenue	165.00
Anthony Flory, Loader and Moving	137.40
Edward Fabian, Blasting Ledge	126.64
Boule Bros., Bulldozing and Moving	123.00
Francis Bersaw, Truck	108.80
Richard E. Rollins, Labor	70.00
Larry J. Gallipo, Labor	70.00
Garry L. Gallipo, Labor	70.00
Edward L. Mossey, Labor	64.00
Monroe Wholesale, Inc., Sewer Pipe	59.40
Dan Cox, Driveway Repair	52.50
Edward McPhee, Truck	51.00
George Livak, Equipment	48.20
Charles J. Turco, Relocate Line for Shell Well	45.43

Center Rutland Welding Co., Welding	40.00
City Auto Electric, Welding	32.50
Young's Fuel Service, Kerosene	32.06
Roving Lumber Co., Plank	31.01
Ray Giddings, Well Casing Cover	30.00
Novak Printing Co., 500 Printed Forms	17.50
Green Mt. Rentals, Rent of Roller	15.00
W. C. Landon Co., Goggles and Paint	11.72
Motor Vehicle Dept., Registration of Water Truck	10.00

Total Expenditures	<u>\$115,578.11</u>
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REPORT OF ROAD COMMISSIONER
December 31, 1969

Balance from 1968		\$187.85
Received from Treasurer—		
Loans and Taxes, etc.		\$115,523.88
Total Receipts		<u>\$115,711.73</u>
Total Receipts	\$115,711.73	
Total Orders Drawn	<u>\$115,578.11</u>	
Balance		\$133.62

Respectfully submitted,
MARSHALL B. FISH
Road Commissioner

RUTLAND TOWN
HIGHWAY BUDGET FOR 1970
Marshall B. Fish, Road Commissioner

Town Highways	\$25,000.00
Retreatment State Aid Highways	3,000.00
Improvement State Aid Highways	6,000.00
Deficit 1969 Account	7,100.00
Refund Due to Tax Appeals	603.00
	<u>\$41,703.00</u>

Respectfully submitted,
MARSHALL B. FISH
Road Commissioner

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Delinquent Taxes Received from

Treasurer in 1969:

Property Tax	\$11,135.36	
Poll Tax	1,328.04	
Warrants	9.30	
		\$12,472.70

Collected and Turned Over to Treasurer	\$11,737.05
Taxes Abated by Board of Abatement	52.95
Unpaid Tax of Remo and Virginia Segalla	682.70
	\$12,472.70

Respectfully submitted,

C. JOHN MORSE
Tax Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

STATEMENT OF TAXES FOR 1969

General Tax	\$.61½
Highway Tax	.24
Fire Department Tax	.24½
School	2.59
Total	\$3.69

Real Property Grand List	\$112,171.29
Personal Property Grand List	13,419.49
Poll List	1,686.00

Total Grand List \$127,276.78

Real and Personal Property:

Grand List \$125,590.78 assessed @ \$3.69		\$463,429.98
Paid to Treasurer	\$435,184.55	
4% Discount Allowed	17,072.07	
School Lot Rents Allowed	35.00	
Given to Collector	11,135.36	
Warrants	2.50	
Additional Charges	.50	
		\$463,429.98

POLL LIST

1,124 Ratable Polls assessed @ \$5.54		\$6,226.96
Paid to Treasurer (998)	\$5,309.36	
4% Discount Allowed	219.56	
Given to Collector (126)	698.04	
		\$6,226.96

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE TAX

1,124 Ratable Polls assessed @ \$5.00		\$5,620.00
Paid to Treasurer (998)	\$4,990.00	
Given to Collector (126)	630.00	
		\$5,620.00

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance from 1968	\$383.40	
Charges for Copies Made on Copying Machine	9.50	
Building Permits 84 @ \$3.00	252.00	
Lucius & Dora Pidgeon, As Per Contract on House	440.00	
Rent of Town Hall, C. Wood \$15.00; R. Surrall \$10.00; Dairy Council \$14.00	39.00	
David Mac, Junk Yard License	25.00	
Town Clerk, Dog Licenses	568.75	
Trailer Licenses	250.00	
Liquor and Beer and Wine Licenses	412.50	
Land Posting Permits	2.00	
1968 Taxes	21.38	
1969 Poll Taxes Not Listed	17.33	
State of Vermont, Winter Maintenance	1,810.75	
Refunds on Taxes Reduced by Appeal Board from Other Town Depts.	1,768.37	
1969 Poll Taxes	6,843.06	
1969 Property Taxes, Less Check Returned for Insufficient Funds, \$933.93	47,299.23	
C. John Morse, Collecting 1969 Delinquent Taxes	11,737.05	
Orin Thomas & Sons, Inc., For Road Work	1,100.00	
Elsie C. Raymond Houston, For Road Work	160.00	
Johnson & Edson, For Road Work	1,165.60	
Corssman & Gennette, For Road Work	1,272.00	
		\$75,576.92
Town Clerk's Fees Turned Over to Town	\$1,620.65	
		\$77,197.57
Loans During Year from Proctor Trust	\$82,000.00	
		\$159,197.57

Reimbursement of Temp. Loans by Highway Dept.	\$42,000.00	
		\$201,197.57
Reimbursement of Temp. Loans by Fire District Account	\$7,500.00	
		\$208,697.57

Disbursements

Paid Current Orders	\$74,741.27	
Temporary Loans to Highway Account	51,500.00	
Temporary Loans to Fire District Acct.	10,400.00	
		\$136,641.27
Paid Loans to Proctor Trust Co.	71,200.00	
		\$207,841.27
Balance in Proctor Trust Co.	\$856.30	
		\$208,697.57

STATUS OF LOANS GENERAL ACCOUNT

Borrowed from Proctor Trust Co.	\$87,700.00
Paid Loans	71,200.00
Due Proctor Trust Co.	\$16,500.00

TEMPORARY LOANS TO HIGHWAY ACCOUNT

Loans to Highway Account from General Account	\$51,500.00
Reimbursed by Highway Account	42,000.00
Due General Account	\$9,500.00

TEMPORARY LOANS TO FIRE ACCOUNT

Loans to Fire Account from General Account	\$10,400.00
Reimbursed by Fire Account	7,500.00
Due General Account	\$2,900.00

TOWN FIRE DEPARTMENT**Receipts**

Balance from 1968	\$95.87	
1969 Taxes Assessed at .24½	31,182.81	
Share of 2 Polls Not Listed	1.11	
1968 Taxes	5.45	
D. S. Cox, Filling of Pool	10.00	
Smith & Johnson, Water Pipe Line	209.45	
Deficit	2,714.56	
		\$34,219.25

Disbursements

Paid Current Orders	\$19,219.25	
Payment on Note	15,000.00	
		\$34,219.25

TEMPORARY LOAN ACCOUNT

Temporary Loans from General Account During 1969	\$10,400.00
Returned to General Account During 1969	7,500.00
	\$2,900.00
Used to Pay Deficit	— 2,714.56

Balance in Proctor Trust Co.	\$185.44
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FIRE DEPARTMENT NOTE RETIREMENT

Original Cost of Fire Dept.		\$148,042.02
Payment on Note in 1968	\$13,000.00	
Payment on Note in 1969	15,000.00	
		28,000.00

Outstanding Indebtedness	\$120,042.02
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Balance To Be Amortized During Next 8 Years.
@ \$15,000.00 Per Year.

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT Receipts

Balance from 1968	\$187.85	
Taxes Assessed @ .24	30,546.43	
Additional Taxes	6.36	
State of Vermont, Extra Maintenance	1,717.27	
State of Vermont, State Aid	23,216.22	
General Account Fund for Treatment of New Roads from Developers	3,537.60	
General Account, Bridges, Culverts & Roads	5,000.00	
Deficit	9,366.38	
		\$73,578.11

Disbursements

Paid Current Orders	\$73,578.11	
		\$73,578.11

TEMPORARY LOAN ACCOUNT

Temporary Loans from General Account During 1969	\$51,500.00	
		\$51,500.00
Returned to General Account During 1969	\$42,000.00	
		\$42,000.00
		\$9,500.00
Used to Pay Deficit		9,366.38
Balance in Proctor Trust Co.		\$133.62

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW L. ORZEL, Treasurer

**AUDITORS' REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION
OF RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
AS OF JUNE 30, 1969**

**SCHOOL FUND
Balance Sheet For Period Ending
June 30, 1969**

ASSETS

	1969	
Balance On Hand	\$14,653.18	
Due From School Lots	10.00	
Proctor Trust Co., Savings Account	1,415.71	
	<u> </u>	\$16,078.89

LIABILITIES

	1969	
Salaries Due Teachers (July & August)	\$17,001.60	
Unpaid Bills	1,281.28	
	<u> </u>	\$18,282.88
Deficit		\$2,203.99
Investments—Dyer School Endowment Fund		
Certificates—\$50,000.00		

Respectfully submitted,

R. JOHN DAVIDSON
ALBERT H. DELLIVENERI
DONALD J. TAYLOR
Board of Auditors

RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DIRECTORS

During the year of 1969, the majority of your Board members have attended some 55 meetings. These have included regular Board meetings (held on the first Tuesday of each month), special Board meetings, Supervisory Union meetings, citizens study committee meetings and meetings with officials of other towns and Rutland City, with the Commissioner of Education and the State Board of Education. In addition to these, individual members have represented the Board at Supervisory Union committee meetings and at Board meetings in other communities.

It has been an arduous and challenging year, a year of progress, study and consideration. During the decade which has just ended, Rutland Town has grown and changed vastly. All of the changes have been reflected in our school system. In 1960, we employed eight full time teachers and one part time teacher. The base salary for teachers was \$3,700; the tuition rate at MSJ was \$225 and at RHS, it was \$375. We had 104 high school students attending public and private schools and 220 students attending four elementary schools.

In 1965, the Board was authorized to employ an architect to prepare preliminary plans for a new elementary school. In that year, we had 219 students attending the elementary schools and 90 students attending public high school. The tuition rate at RHS was \$530. The base salary for teachers was \$4,750. We currently have 388 pupils (including kindergarten) enrolled in our elementary school and 121 high school tuition students. The tuition rate at RHS will be \$1,100 in 1970-71. The base salary for teachers will be at the least \$6,200. We expect to employ a staff of nineteen full time and six part time personnel. We anticipate increased enrollments at both elementary and high school level. We'll have more children to educate. We must provide rooms and furniture, books and supplies and teachers to educate them. We can only say, that in facing these increasing costs, every effort is being made to insure receiving full value for every educational dollar spent.

When the elementary school on Post Road was planned, spaces were included for increasing enrollments. It could not be forecast that these spaces would be utilized completely within three years of the opening of the school. This year, rather than eliminate the kindergarten program, the Cheney Hill School was used for the program. We are most fortunate that we have retained school buildings that can be utilized during this period in which we are suffering growing pains. The rentals which we have received on them have made it possible to keep the buildings in good repair and have also provided some revenue. Next year the Center Rutland School will provide space for four classes and a

very stimulating program. Yet, part of our planning for the future should include providing additional spaces for the elementary grades. The site on Post Road is of adequate size to sustain a substantial addition to the present building. However, it is the opinion of your School Directors that it would be wise for the Town to acquire land for future educational or recreational use.

After being occupied for two and one-half years, we are satisfied that our school building is well constructed and functional. We have been complimented by the architect on the care being given to the building. Unfortunately, in October, 1969 the building was broken into by vandals and some damage was done. All necessary repairs have been made and most of the cost will be covered by insurance.

A good deal of time and thought has been devoted to the seeking for a permanent solution to the education of the high school students of the town. Rutland Town is not, and will not be in the foreseeable future, large enough to maintain its own high school. Your School Directors have, therefore, sought an alliance with Rutland City and/or other communities in which Rutland Town would have an equity in the school facility and representation on the governing board. We have not been able to achieve such an alliance. Rutland City does not wish to be a member of a union high school district. Attempts at a union high school district composed of smaller towns have failed, in either Rutland Town or other towns involved.

During the past year, the Board of School Directors asked for, and received, help from a citizens' study committee to re-examine and to evaluate the possible courses of action open to the Town in the area of secondary education. The study committee's recommendation to the Board read, in part, "It is the consensus of your study committee that the tuition basis for the high school students has been very satisfactory in the past. Due to location of the town around the city, the number of people working in the central area, the accessibility of the area high schools to the town, and the desirability of as much cooperation as possible with our neighbors, it would be highly desirable to continue on a tuition basis if we had any guarantee that our young people would have a place to go to a tuition high school."

The State Board of Education has to some degree provided that guarantee by adopting the following resolution: "RESOLVED that in anticipation of granting State construction aid to Rutland City for a secondary school conditioned upon their acceptance within their prescribed area of Rutland Town, Mendon, Clarendon, and Shrewsbury, and in recognition of the need for continuing educational cooperation between Rutland Town, Rutland City, Mendon, Clarendon, and Shrewsbury, the State Board of Education recommends to the four towns that no

action be taken calculated to encourage their students to seek educational opportunities outside of Rutland City; and it is further RESOLVED that as long as the need for educational co-operation continues to exist between Rutland City and any of the four towns, any application made by any of the four towns for permission to join a union which does not include Rutland City should be rejected."

It remains yet to be seen whether this guarantee will be substantiated by a positive vote on a bond issue for a new high school by the voters of Rutland City.

In January of 1969 we accepted, with regret, the resignation of Superintendent Graham. Geoffrey Graham is a dedicated educator who contributed generously of his time and talents to the young people of our town. We owe much to him for the successful completion of our new school and for the programs which have been implemented in it. We are fortunate in having Mr. Richard Zani as our new superintendent. In the time he has been with us, he has exercised the positive educational leadership so badly needed in these changing times.

In closing, the Board wishes to thank Miss Reilly and the teaching staff for their contributions to our children. Our thanks, also, go to Mr. Delliveneri, Mr. Champine and Mr. Signor for their care of our buildings. We appreciate the efforts of Mrs. Sharp and her staff in operating a successful lunch program. And last, but never least, study committee members, parents and members of the P.T.A., and taxpayers who have given their time and support to the educational program.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

ALVA T. HOWE

VERONICA GUIMOND

WILLIAM B. THOMAS

RUTLAND TOWN

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

I herewith submit my first annual report as Superintendent of Schools to the taxpayers of Rutland Town.

Many new educational projects were begun in Rutland Town with the enthusiastic participation of the administrator, teachers, school board members and citizens.

The profits from good education are diffused throughout the whole school population and the benefits reached are tangible. As each student shares his knowledge with his family, his town government, his state and country, he displays a positive manipulative factor held in his own mind and heart. By aligning skill and ambition, he may carry his mental resources and convert them to cash and personal ambition. Therefore the basic philosophy behind every new program is that each pupil will gain from the experience and eventually put this gain to profitable use.

In August a two-day teacher orientation program was instituted, designed specifically for the new members of the staff. They were introduced to the educational philosophy and the operation of the school. As a result, the transition from summer free time to school work was done more smoothly and at a faster rate.

A teacher self-assessment workshop has been programmed for two afternoons during the remainder of the school year. The Consultant fees will be absorbed by the Action Center IV (federally funded) located in Center Rutland. Teachers want to evaluate their situation in the classroom because of the dimensions of a rapidly changing social, political, scientific and cultural society has brought to modern education.

Some teachers presently are individualizing their reading programs and the third grade instructors have begun a modified Joplin plan, in which pupils are grouped according to ability and exchange teachers during the reading period. There are twice as many reading units and teachers are able to apply reading skills more aptly. A reading specialist was hired to help all children who are behind and need remedial help in grades one through six.

In conjunction with the reading program, the school librarian is now a full-time staff member. Grades one through eight have library science and first, second and third graders have story hours during the week. The library is in transition, becoming a modern educational resource center.

Educational T V has been implemented and the programs should prove to be valuable supplementary curriculum material. The community resource people who also supplement educational units are bringing real live situations into the classrooms.

Sixth grade students are taking an introductory course in Home Economics and Industrial Arts. These are practical and realistic subject fields which create enthusiasm and interest in the total school program.

Brandon Training School pupils are still the recipients of a yearly concert performed for them by the junior high Glee Club. Think of the moral, social and humane characteristics the Rutland Town pupils are receiving. Plus, they are adding a little cheer to the lives of children less fortunate.

Rutland Town has been chosen by the State Department of Public Health to pilot a three year oral hygiene dental program. While the fluoride process data about the children is being compiled, the pupils will greatly benefit from the health education the program entails.

Possibly the most educationally exciting project to be implemented in Rutland Town is the Learning Disabilities Program for under-achievers in school work. Approximately 15% to 25% of the pupils have physical, mental, psychological malfunctions, either separately or in combination with one another. The purpose of the Learning Disabilities Program is to diagnose and remediate the problems encountered by these pupils through a team of specialists. (Mrs.) Virginia Towle is coordinator of the project and parents, administrators, teachers, physical education personnel and guidance people have been oriented toward the child with these problems so that the pupil may overcome his difficulties.

Having a co-partnership with Rutland Mental Health and the tying together of three different sources of money—federal (Title I), state (Learning Disabilities) and local—makes the Rutland Central Supervisory Union's Learning Disabilities Program unique in the State of Vermont.

The elementary educational curriculum will have to be assessed because of state law. Parents, faculty and students will be called upon to help with the assessment of the existing program. It is hoped, that from this study a design and an improved elementary program for Rutland Town will be started in the near future.

The Rutland Town School is being used as a community resource center. Brownies, Girls Scouts and Cub Scouts have their meetings there and the school playground is being used by the girls' softball team and the Little League. In time, the excellent new school facilities may become a hub of activities and meetings of all non-profit groups within the town limits.

With all the innovative approaches that have been introduced to the educational process in Rutland Town there still is a need for building space because of the increasing school popula-

tion. The Center Rutland School will be reopened in September of 1970 to house fourth and fifth grade children. A team-teaching program will be instituted and special help, in the form of many student teachers, will be provided for by Castleton State College. The instructors will collaborate and teach co-operatively and their educational strengths will be utilized in specialized areas of curriculum. The pupils' well-being and the development of their potential will be the major concern of the teachers. Flexibility in grouping will be practiced. The students will be bussed to the Rutland Town School for Physical Education and Library Sciences and the Art and Music specialists will travel to the Center Rutland plant. The school lunch program will still be in operation. All in all, the total development and continued growth of the children will be enhanced.

A Citizens Committee of twenty-five taxpayers was activated to study the high school problem facing the people of Rutland Town under the very capable chairmanship of State Representative Emerson A. Peake. Three groups were formed; 1) to study the feasibility of becoming unionized with Rutland City, 2) to study the continuance of tuitioning high school students to Rutland City specifically and 3) to study the possibility of studying unionization with the smaller towns surrounding Rutland City. After many meetings the majority of the citizens group voted and recommended to the Rutland Town School Board to continue the same tuitioning arrangements as was already being practiced.

The individuals of the Citizens Committee are to be congratulated, for many meetings were held and, in some cases, visits to other school districts for information, at the citizens' own expense, were scheduled.

For a town that does not maintain a secondary school or is not part of a high school union district, present state law gives the parents of a secondary student sole right of placing his child in any public high school in the state of Vermont and full tuition has to be paid by local taxes. If a pupil attends an approved private non-denominational, secondary school in state or out, the average union high school tuition for the state of Vermont is paid.

Therefore, it is hoped that parents will devote time and effort to thinking out their responsibility, for the importance of sound education was never greater than it is today. As a result of the large number of pupils applying for college admission, colleges can be much more selective than ever before. The opportunities open to those prepared for them become greater in this world of rapid scientific advancement. While the opportunities offered the high school and college graduate, respectively, are not the same, the former faces greater competition and needs preparation to meet it with success.

A secondary education is a must in today's society. The proportion of people with less than four years of high school education declined from 62% to 49% in the decade 1956 to 1966. The recent technological developments in our society have focused attention on technical programs. Vocational education today represents an opportunity to attain status through the orderly acquisition of marketable skills, knowledge and attitudes.

The rising expenditures for education are a major concern of school boards and taxpayers everywhere. But education should be thought of as an investment rather than a cost. The lack of quality education tends to produce individuals who do not contribute effectively to society and are prone to crime, unemployment and general irresponsibility, thus creating a need for more tax-supported governmental services.

What way is better to invest the taxpayers' dollars than in the young people of today through an appropriate modern education?

In closing this report, I express my appreciation to the Rutland Town School Directors, the administrator, teachers and custodial staff, town officials and the citizens for their cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD F. ZANI

RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT **SCHOOL BUDGET FOR 1970-71 WITH COMPARISONS**

	Expenditures 1968-69	Budget 1969-70	Budget 1970-71
School Directors	\$2,233.34	\$2,400.00	\$2,500.00
Treasurer's Office	5,274.77	6,570.00	8,979.00
Supervisory Union	8,659.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Teachers' Salaries	107,685.09	136,000.00	181,400.00
Textbooks	2,342.61	2,500.00	3,200.00
Library & Audio-Visual	859.22	1,500.00	3,200.00
Teaching Supplies	4,954.73	4,500.00	6,500.00
Transportation	17,920.00	18,400.00	21,500.00
Custodial Salaries	7,775.09	7,500.00	9,000.00
Water	866.03	700.00	300.00
Heat & Electricity	12,636.50	11,000.00	13,500.00
Telephone	257.72	320.00	500.00
Custodial Supplies	1,570.80	1,200.00	1,500.00
Maintenance of Plant	1,049.85	1,000.00	2,000.00
Social Security	5,888.59	6,850.00	8,800.00
Insurance	1,410.20	1,000.00	1,600.00
Food Services	2,125.33	1,000.00	2,500.00
Furniture & Equipment	3,760.28	3,500.00	2,850.00
Bond & Interest	42,012.50	41,038.00	39,062.00
Tuition	74,499.02	96,000.00	147,500.00
Miscellaneous	1,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00
Contingency	1,412.54	3,500.00	3,500.00
	\$306,193.21	\$359,478.00	\$472,891.00
Fire Detector System, \$5,000.00 less \$1,500.00 State Aid			\$3,500.00
Playground Equipment, \$1,000.00 less \$300.00 State Aid			700.00
			\$477,091.00

RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

RECEIPTS

	1968-69	To 12/31/69	Estimated 1970-71
Property & Poll Taxes	\$262,733.45	\$329,623.52	\$452,901.00
Glebe Rents	149.00	35.00	50.00
Interest	7,397.27	747.30	3,000.00
Rents	1,848.66	2,215.00	.....
State Aid	26,656.00	19,992.00	13,328.00
State Aid, Bond & Interest	8,597.50	.....	7,812.00
N.D.E.A. Funds	706.85	.....	.....
Miscellaneous	1,897.89	1,169.35	.....
Balance, 6/30/68	10,861.10*	14,654.51*	.....
	\$320,847.72	\$368,436.68	\$477,091.00
		— 6,931.07*	6,931.00*
		\$361,505.61	\$484,022.00

* Reserve sum for teachers' salaries for July and August

* Loss of property taxes due to tax refunds

* To reduce anticipated deficit due to loss of 1969-70 taxes

RUTLAND TOWN TEACHERS, 1969-1970

ANN G. REILLY, PRINCIPAL

Teacher	Assignment	Service in Rutland Town (incl. 69/70)
Mrs. (Carol) Howard Abrahamson	4/5	2
Mrs. (Muriel) Dana Berg	2	4
Miss Frances Bizzarro	2	1
Mrs. (Sheila) Frank Bizzarro	Science & Math	1
Mrs. (Jeanne) Charles Carrington	Librarian	1
Mr. Samuel Cotrupi	6/8	18
Mrs. (Bertha) John Davidson	1	28
Mrs. (Ruth) James Davis	1	19
Mr. James Eggleston	Language Arts	3
Mrs. (Martha) Robert Fink	Girls' Physical Education	2
Mrs. (Barbara) David Flinn	3	3
Mrs. (Dolores) Howard Geno	Music	18
Mr. Paul Guilmette	Industrial Arts	2
Mrs. (Tina) Ashley Murray	4	15½
Mrs. (Blanche) Warren Perkins	Home Economics	3
Mrs. (Ruth) Burdette Pratt	Kindergarten	18
Miss Rita Reyes	Art Supervisor	1
Mr. Gust Stenroos	Boys' Physical Education	2
Miss Rebecca Northrop	4	1
Mrs. (Jane) Brian Webb	5	3
Mrs. (Ruth) Paul Wormwood	Remedial Reading	1

Supervisory Union Personnel

Mrs. Virginia Towle, Coordinator	Learning Disabilities	1
Mr. William Freeman	School Psychologist	1
Mrs. Jane Kvetco	Psychiatric Social Worker	1
Mrs. Sybil Miller	Teacher Assistant	1

ENROLLMENTS BY GRADES, DECEMBER 1, 1969**WITH COMPARISONS**

School	Grades									Horizontal	Totals	
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1969-1970	1968-1969	1967-1968
Rutland Town	43	47	42	34	33	31	29	31	32	...	...	322
	37	55	46	33	34	33	28	33	36	...	335	...
	36	48	58	52	41	38	45	32	38	388	...	...

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS BY GRADES

Tuition 1969- 1970	Total		9	10	11	12	Tuition 1970- 1971
\$ 850.00	116	Rutland City	34	29	28	25	\$1,100.00
	30	Mount St. Joseph Academy	5	13	8	4	
\$1,090.00	7	Proctor High School	5	1	0	1	1,195.00

FIVE-YEAR AVERAGE COST PER PUPIL

Based Upon School Fiscal Years
And Average Daily Attendance

	1968-1969	1967-1968	1966-1967	1965-1966	1964-1965
Elementary Pupils	\$524.24	\$477.30	\$409.00	\$378.85	\$364.09

ANNUAL PRE-SCHOOL CENSUS JULY, 1969

Listed according to the year in which children are expected to enter kindergarten.

1970	1971	1972	1973
49	37	34	27

1969 GRADUATES

Lynn M. Bachand	Gloria Ann McCarty
Arthur W. Baker	Steve F. Manney
Steven E. Benson	Joseph M. Maslack
Mark A. Chaffee	Edward J. Matthews
Cheryl A. Creed	Desiree A. Miles
Lynn C. DelBianco	Meggin A. Nutter
Suzanne L. Derby	Michelle L. Pelchat
Chris A. Eells	Timothy H. Perry
Kenneth H. Fredette	Chris A. Pidgeon
John P. Gawet	Barbara A. Plizga
Ann Marie Gill	Stephen F. Pulling
James W. Howland	Edward A. Regimbald
Peter D. Jenne	Denise M. St. Peter
Stephen P. Keenan	Robert V. St. Peter
Michele A. Kellogg	Howard A. Stickney
Nancy J. Larson	Stephen M. Thomas
Donald R. LeFrancois	Kevin B. Wood
Terri S. Livak	

RUTLAND TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT EXPENDITURES

July 1, 1968--June 30, 1969

Abatiell and Abatiell	\$932.05
Carol Abrahamson	4,666.60
Ardena Ackerman	22.50
Agway, Inc.	7.80
American Education Publications	217.95
Laura Bailey	30.00
Baker & Taylor	444.45
Bardeen's	20.25
Barter's Music Store	51.00
Bay State Industrial Chemical Co.	85.50
Charles A. Bennett Co.	76.32
Muriel Berg	6,958.40
Alicia R. Bishop	2.46
Stanley Bourn	8.00
Boy Scout Troop #114	60.00
Brandon Lumber	170.84
Marie Burke	135.00
Business Systems of Vermont	778.00
Cambosco Scientific Co.	322.40
Mrs. Robert Carter	35.08
Central Vermont Public Service	12,636.50
Carlton Champine	1,436.01
Herbert Clark	11.80
Colonial Distributors	20.00
Continental Press	23.06
Samuel Cotrupi	7,558.40
Creative Playthings	64.95
Crossman's	197.79
Dallaire Building Supplies	204.77
Bertha Davidson	7,283.40
Ruth Davis	7,283.40
Albert Delliveneri	6,377.24
Paul Dimick	181.00
Eastman's	14.85
Economy Co.	265.80
Educational Music Bureau	30.16
Educators Progress Service	44.92
Educational Teaching Aids	26.10
James Eggleston	5,941.60
Martha Fink	1,015.00
Fiske Electric	73.31
Barbara Flinn	5,683.40
Folkcraft	3.25
Follett Publishing Co.	43.55

Gaylord Brothers	47.19
General Industrial Co.	6.28
Dolores Geno	3,654.20
George Peabody College	3.00
Franklin Gilbert	333.40
Ginn & Co.	159.95
Grolier Educational Corp.	129.67
Paul Guilmette	2,053.26
Veronica Guimond	1,433.34
J. L. Hammett	1,316.84
Harcourt, Brace & World	1,471.83
Highsmith Co.	55.73
Hazel Hill	4,699.88
Alva T. Howe	453.09
Huntington Laboratories	117.65
Huntoon Business Machines	20.10
International Book Corp.	60.00
Jenn Publications	10.70
Johnson Building Supplies	125.43
Samuel Kapitan	90.00
Kelco Products	282.43
Milton Kelly	20.00
Kinney, Pike, Bell & Conner	1,410.20
W. C. Landon	210.11
Larry's Music Store	32.48
J. C. Larson	27.80
Judy Lertola	15.00
Jeannette Lesage	5,668.40
Lincoln House	62.12
Lyons Band Instrument Co.	43.75
Lyons & Carnahan	202.47
Magazine Supply House	45.72
Mainco School Supply	597.82
Marshall Fish	425.30
Catherine May	15.00
McGraw Hill	220.29
Milton Bradley	13.32
Milyar Supplies, Inc.	89.14
Wade Mitchell	856.25
Montgomery Ward	29.45
Mildred Murphy	108.05
Murphy Office Equipment	427.30
Tina Murray	6,683.20
National Education Association	13.60
National Shawmut Bank	42,012.50
The National Survey	7.20
New England Telephone Co.	257.72
New York Athletic Supply	294.35
Norcross-Eldridge	317.04
Northern Glass	24.51

Novak Printing	48.25
Oakman Electric Supply	25.45
Carla Ojala	15.00
Charles O'Rourke	933.40
Andrew L. Orzel	5,274.77
Paris Manufacturing Co.	248.71
Rose Pelchat	150.00
Blanche Perkins	2,357.50
Carmen Petraglia	4.00
Ruth Pratt	7,028.40
Prentice-Hall	31.98
Proctor Gas Co.	13.25
Proctor School District	1,818.75
Proctor Trust Co.	132.50
Mrs. Bernard Ratti	150.00
Ann Reilly	9,025.00
Ann Reilly—Petty Cash	337.06
A. H. Rice Co.	472.45
Richco Products	453.75
John Russell Corp.	100.00
Rutland Central Supervisory Union	8,659.00
Rutland City	866.03
Rutland Public Schools	71,905.02
Patricia St. Peter	82.50
Scholastic Book Service	108.84
Scholastic Magazines	8.40
School Lunch Program	2,125.33
Science Research Associates	443.34
Scott Forsman	796.64
Sears, Roebuck	926.95
Oswald W. Signor	10.50
Silver Burdett	51.40
Simplex Time Recorder	38.71
Singer Co.	138.02
Faye Smith	2,616.60
Sheryl Spear	45.00
State Dept. of Education	794.00
State Treasurer	5,888.59
Gust Stenroos	5,720.80
Stowell Transportation	17,920.00
Marilyn Thomas	165.00
Richard Thomas, Jr.	48.00
William Thomas	400.00
Charles Tuttle	3.13
Tuttle Stationery	8.50
Donna Twiss	2,619.60
United States Pencil Co.	24.65
University of Vermont	4.00
Grace Valente	37.50
Vermarco Ground Products	98.50

Vermont State School Directors Ass'n	110.00
Wallingford School District	86.25
Jane Webb	6,280.00
Marion Wells	45.00
West Chemical Products	128.95
Wilson Sports Equipment	49.15
Wolverine Sports Supply	70.50
Woodcraft	5.92
Ruth Wormwood	7.50
Lee W. Young	136.25
	\$306,193.21

SCHOOL LUNCH ACCOUNT

July 1, 1968--June 30, 1969

Receipts	\$14,588.59	
Expenditures	16,713.92	
		(\$2,125.33) Expenditures
		Food services

SCHOOL RENTALS

July 1, 1968--June 30, 1969

Receipts	\$4,900.00	
Expenditures	3,091.34	
		\$1,808.66 Receipts, Rents

BUILDING FUND

July 1, 1968--June 30, 1969

Balance & Receipts	\$3,557.12	
Expenditures	1,821.09	
		\$1,736.03 Balance

INSURANCE ADJUSTMENTS

July 1, 1968--June 30, 1969

Receipts	\$1,143.05	
Expenditures	1,243.05	
		(\$100.00) Expenditures
		Plant Maintenance

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Fiscal Year July 1, 1968 to June 30, 1969

Balance	\$10,907.66	
Taxes Assessed @ \$2.71 $\frac{3}{4}$	263,755.78	
School Lot Rents	149.00	
State of Vermont, State Aid	26,656.00	
West Rutland School District, Rental on Vaccine	40.00	
Mintzer Bros., Refund for Lumber Returned	4.80	
Hot Lunch Receipts	11,438.17	
State of Vermont, Hot Lunch Reimb.	3,150.42	
Glens Falls Insurance Co., Claim	1,143.05	
State of Vermont, Reimb. on Interest Payments	8,597.50	
Rent, Haiti Building	700.00	
Rent, Cheney Hill Building	700.00	
Rent, Action Center @ Center Rutland School	1,800.00	
Rent, Rutland City @ Center Rutland School	1,700.00	
Additional 1968 Taxes	52.15	
Retired Teachers' Assn., Use of School Rooms	25.00	
State of Vt., Reimb. under Title III, NDEA	706.85	
L. Felion, Stumpage from School Lot	1,631.82	
Vermont Electric Power Co., 1 Yr. Lease Agreement	200.00	
Federal Land Bank, Interest on Bond	1,385.40	
Ann Reilly, Broken Window by Pupil	16.00	
Marie Anderson, Lost Book	2.88	
David L. Young, Lost Book	2.39	
Mrs. Rose Pelchat, Use of Town Hall	15.00	
		\$334,779.87
Treasury Bills and Certificates on Maturity	\$268,623.13	
		\$603,403.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Current Orders	\$588,749.82	
Balance in Proctor Trust Co.	14,653.18	
		\$603,403.00

July 1, 1969--December 31, 1969**RECEIPTS**

Balance	\$14,653.18	
Taxes @ \$2.59	329,611.86	
School Lot Rents	35.00	
State of Vermont, State Aid	19,992.00	
Hot Lunch Receipts	3,817.60	
State of Vermont, Hot Lunch Reimbursement	2,275.67	
Rent, Haiti Building	315.00	
Rent, Center Rutland Bldg., 2 Rooms, Rutland City	1,425.00	
Rent, Center Rutland Bldg., 2 Rooms, Action Center	475.00	
Rutland City, Reimbursement for Overcharge on Water Bills for New School	1,166.25	
Refunds	3.10	
Taxes, Not Listed	11.66	
Interest on 50M Federal Land Bank Certificate	1,425.00	
		\$375,206.32
From Investments Certificate	70,000.00	
		\$445,206.32

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid Current Orders	\$123,361.92	
Purchase of Securities and Cost of Service Charge (\$147.50)	289,522.86	
Balance in Proctor Trust Co.	32,321.54	
		\$445,206.32

NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING FUND**RECEIPTS**

Balance from 1968	\$1,318.42	
State Aid on Building	657.61	
		\$1,976.03

Disbursements

Berkshire Chalkboard Co.	\$240.00	
Balance in Proctor Trust Co.	1,736.03	
		\$1,976.03

SCHOOL BOND STATEMENT

New Elementary School Bonds @ 3¾%	\$479,000.00	
Paid 3 of 10 Installments Due on May 1, Each Year	7,800.00	
Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness		\$401,000.00

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW L. ORZEL, Treasurer

TOWN OF RUTLAND FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1 **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Water Account

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1969

RECEIPTS

Balance from 1968	\$1,977.98	
Water Rents	4,670.00	
Robert & Norma Rogers, Sale of Land	260.00	
Sewage Account, Reimb. of Loan		
Dated 4/29/69	900.00	
		\$7,807.98

DISBURSEMENTS

Interest on Indebtedness	\$1,125.91	
Electric Power	226.02	
Proctor Trust Co., Payment on Note	2,000.00	
Treasurer's Fees	93.40	
Postage & Phone, Envelopes & Printing	50.12	
S. Kapitan, Backhoe Work on Water		
Line & Fence	323.00	
Miscellaneous Supplies, Clorox, etc.	11.51	
Ernest E. Olson, Salary \$50.00, Labor \$5.00	55.00	
Richard Gecha, Salary \$50.00, Labor & Top Soil \$34.89	84.89	
A. T. Howe, Salary	50.00	
R. Gallo, Reimb. on Water Rent	8.08	
Wilk Bros., Paving	60.00	
Stanley L. Burns, Legal Advice	55.00	
Lyman A. Russell Corp., Repairs	19.98	
Sewage Account, Temporary Loan, 4/29/69	900.00	
Sewage Account Temp. Loan 12/15/69	200.00	
		\$5,262.91
Balance		\$2,545.07

Sewage Plant Account

RECEIPTS

Balance from 1968	\$736.29	
Tax Receipts	9,281.54	
Proctor Trust Co., Temp. Loan	800.00	
Fire Dist. #1 Water Account Temp. Loan	900.00	
Fire Dist. #1 Water Account Temp. Loan	200.00	
City of Rutland as per Agreement	2,000.00	
		\$13,917.83

DISBURSEMENTS

Bond Retirement	\$4,000.00	
Interest on Bonds	3,075.00	
D & H Railroad Co., Rent	46.00	
Insurance	70.00	
Electric Power	260.78	
Supplies	120.65	
Engineering Consultation	61.80	
Legal Services	45.00	
Fire District #1 Reimb. Temp. Loan	900.00	
Proctor Trust Co., Payment of Note	800.00	
Proctor Trust Co., Interest	7.48	
L. Russell, Repairs & Work on Manholes & Sewer Lines	1,905.41	
Treasurer's Fees, Collecting Taxes	183.26	
S. Kapitan, Work on Fence at Sewage Plant	265.00	
George Miglis, Services Operating Sewage Plant	1,891.00	
Prudential Committee, Salaries	150.00	
Richard Gecha, Additional Services	25.00	
		<u>\$13,806.38</u>
Balance		\$111.45

SEWAGE BOND RETIREMENT

Original Bonds \$94,000.00 maturing in full October 1, 1990	
\$4,000.00	Payment Oct. 1, 1966
\$4,000.00	Payment Oct. 1, 1967
\$4,000.00	Payment Oct. 1, 1968
\$4,000.00	Payment Oct. 1, 1969
	<u>—\$16,000.00</u>
Outstanding	\$78,000.00

Respectfully submitted,
ANDREW L. ORZEL
 Treasurer

TOWN OF RUTLAND FIRE DISTRICT #1
TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Received from Treasurer:		
Property Tax	\$107.00	
13 Polls	11.70	
	<u>\$118.70</u>	
Turned Over to Treasurer		\$118.70

C. JOHN MORSE
 Tax Collector

REPORT OF CHENEY HILL CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

The annual meeting of the Commissioners was held and Sherwin Williams elected President; Byron Hathaway, Vice President and George Livak, Secretary.

The cemetery has been kept in good shape with regular mowing and trimming. More interest has been shown by local people in securing lots.

Any persons desiring further information should contact their Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

SHERWIN WILLIAMS
BYRON J. HATHAWAY
GEORGE LIVAK
Cemetery Commissioners

1969 FIRE WARDEN'S REPORT

Number of permits issued	98
Number of forest fires	6

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Law Pertaining to Brush Fires

"Fires kindled for the purpose of burning brush or for other lawful purpose shall be kindled only at such times and under such conditions as will enable the parties starting them to keep them entirely under control. Except as provided in this section, a person shall not kindle or authorize another to kindle a fire in the open air for the purpose of burning brush, weeds, grass or rubbish of any kind except where there is snow on the site, without first obtaining permission from the Fire Warden or Deputy Warden of the Town, or the State Forester, or his Deputy, stating when and where such fire may be kindled. Wherever such permission is granted, such Warden, or State Forester or his Deputy, within twelve hours, shall issue a written permit for record purposes stating when and where such fire may be kindled. Such permission shall not be required for the kindling of a fire in a location which is 200 feet or more from any woodland, timberland or field containing dry grass or other inflammable plant material contiguous to woodland."

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE LIVAK
Fire Warden

VERMONT STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ANNUAL TOWN REPORT, 1969

This is a report to the residents of your town describing the health services which have been rendered during the state fiscal year July 1, 1968, through June 30, 1969. These services are carefully planned so that maximum benefit may be gained from each tax dollar. For instance, one clinic may serve many towns if the number of patients is small. On the other hand, when a service is needed in a town or city, we make every effort to provide it.

I invite you to discuss this report with your friends and health officer and I would welcome any impressions which you care to forward to me.

The following is a list of some of the health services to the residents of Rutland Town.

Attendance at State Public Health nurse sponsored well-child conferences and Immunization Clinics.....	—
Number of children given pediatric consultations or hospital diagnostic services.....	—
Number of children served at the child development clinic.....	—
Number of children aided at handicapped children's clinics for speech, hearing, orthopedic, plastic, neurological, or cardiac problems.....	2
Dental health education: number of children served in schools.....	—
People x-rayed for tuberculosis detection.....	2
People x-rayed for occupational diseases.....	9
Attendance at tumor clinics.....	—
Attendance at diabetes clinics or physician screening for diabetes.....	17
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping-cough immunizations....	—
Polio immunizations.....	—
Smallpox immunizations.....	—
Measles immunizations.....	—
Number of water samples tested (private & public supplies).....	14
Blood specimens tested (pre-marital, pre-natal, and other).....	—
Other laboratory specimens.....	1
Sanitary inspections, consultations (food & lodging, camps).....	70
Water, sewage disposal, public buildings and other inspections.....	27
Medical Care Services: nutrition and dietary consultations, inspections and consultations to hospitals, nursing homes, homes for the aged, and home health service agencies.....	3
Public Health Nurse visits.....	4
Number served by Public Health Nurse visits.....	3

Respectfully submitted,
R. B. AIKEN, M.D., M.P.H., Commissioner of Health

VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WELFARE
Montpelier, Vermont
 January 21, 1970
REPORT TO THE TOWN OF RUTLAND

Last year this department initiated reporting to each town and city the amounts spent and people aided in each locality under the various programs of the Vermont Department of Social Welfare. This report replaced the previous annual notification to each town of the charges that had been assessed against their community for their share of State operated welfare programs. The enactment by the General Assembly of the Social Welfare Act of 1967 eliminated sharing in State welfare costs at the local level and consequently, the basis for this type of reporting to the towns.

This year's report on amounts of money paid to money payment recipients in your town and monthly average number of recipients is for calendar year 1969 in contrast to the half year report made last year. In addition, we are able to report a full year of money spent for General Assistance and for the last six months of the year, the value of the bonus food stamps given to residents of your town and the monthly average number of participants. General Assistance is the program that was formerly operated by your Overseer of the Poor. Your town's tabulation is as follows:

Program	Amount	Monthly Average Number of Recipients
Aid to the Aged.....	\$6,375.00	7
Aid to the Blind.....	432.00	1
Aid to the Disabled.....	1,133.00	1
Aid to Needy Families With Children.....	2,109.00	6
General Assistance.....	559.75	.....
Bonus Food Stamps (6 months).....	435.00	16

The above figures do not include money payment recipients residing in nursing homes or mental hospitals as there does not appear to be a fair way of assigning a town of residence to these people.

In addition, medical vendor payments for the calendar year 1969 totaled over \$11,000,000.00 (more than 1/3 of all department expenditures) and payments in behalf of committed children totaled over \$1,000,000.00 for a monthly average of 1,480 children. No doubt, residents of your community were numbered among those who benefited by these expenditures.

Respectfully submitted,

PAUL R. PHILBROOK
Deputy Commissioner

MARRIAGES

Marriages registered in the Town of Rutland, Vermont for the year ending December 31, 1969.

Date of Marriage 1969	Name of Contracting Parties	Residence
Jan. 29	Louis Paul Miglorie Mary Jane Duda	Rutland City Rutland Town
Feb. 22	Peter Alton Grace SandraLee Ann Blosser	Rutland City Rutland Town
Mar. 8	Philip John Shortsleeve Linda June Webster	Colchester, Vt. Rutland Town
May 31	Calvin John Boyer Mary R. Durkin	Rutland City Brandon
June 14	Michael Raymond Fleming Sandra May Wilk	West Rutland Center Rutland
June 28	Francis John Mainolfi Rosalind Susan North	Rutland City Rutland Town
July 19	David J. Therrien Brenda Lee Marie Surrell	Cuttingsville, Vt. Rutland Town
Aug. 16	Larry Michael Wood Dianne Marie Senecal	Rutland Town Rutland Town
Aug. 23	Gary H. Dubray Martha Hughes	Rutland Town Rutland City
Sept. 7	Donald J. Mason, Jr. Karina Davidson	West Paris, Me. Rutland Town
Oct. 25	Michael Sprague Pinkham Dolores Mary Kusina	Rutland City Rutland Town
Nov. 22	Roger Pelletier Sara Mae Wood	Rutland Town Rutland Town

VITAL STATISTICS BIRTHS

Births registered in the Town of Rutland, Vermont for the year ending December 31, 1969.

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Sept. 1, 1913	Selma Josephine Johnson	F	Arvid Johnson	Anna Johnson
June 15, 1915	Geraldine Burke	F	William Burke	Theresa Hanley
Mar. 22, 1932	Mary Elizabeth Coyle	F	Terrence Coyle	Leona Eichelser
1969				
Jan. 12	Stacy Robertson Smith	M	Ralph Edward Smith	Susan Leslie Frost
Feb. 24	Kendra Jane Holmquist	F	Allen Gunnar Holmquist	Patricia Eileen Leonard
Apr. 16	Patricia Anne Bassett	F	Benjamin Otis Bassett	Joan Ann DeGraff
Apr. 17	Scott Henry Brileya	M	Chester Arnold Brileya	Donna Mae Oles
May 10	Monica Marie Bowen	F	Martin William Bowen, Jr.	Gail Sandra LaFrance
May 16	Ryan Mitchell Parkman	M	Robert Murray Parkman	Shirley Ann Lawrence
May 27	Craig William Wing	M	Gary Preston Wing	Roseline Barbara Turner
May 27	Laura Anne Thatcher	F	Clifford Richard Thatcher, Jr.	Priscilla Tillson
June 6	David Alan Del Bianco	M	Richard Joseph Del Bianco	Marilyn Charlotte Phillips
June 12	Karen Grace Howland	F	Francis Charles Howland	Sara Saundra Trombley
June 13	Rebecca Marie Hall	F	William Joseph Hall	Brenda Ann Baker
June 21	Matthew Curtis Bidgood	M	Curtis Barnard Bidgood	Susan Ellen Berry
July 30	Carl Russell Nickerson, II	M	Carl Russell Nickerson	June Cheney
Sept. 6	Wayne Howard Burke	M	Raymond Howard Burke	Dorothy Mary Davis
Sept. 30	Paul Sherwin Williams	M	Larry Sherwin Williams	Pamela Marie Pendriss
Oct. 2	John Joseph Quirk, Jr.	M	John Joseph Quirk	Irene Marie Canavan
Oct. 13	Laura Marion Millett	F	Peter Barnes Millett	Mary Ellen Walda
Nov. 7	Paul Robert Smith	M	George Earl Smith, Jr.	Nancy Lee Batchelder
Nov. 22	Catherine Clarke	F	Howard Donald Clarke	Kathleen Joan Davison
Nov. 22	Christina Clarke	F	Howard Donald Clarke	Kathleen Joan Davison
Dec. 1	Tracey Lynn Fowler	F	Ronald Francis Fowler	Carol Mulliss
Dec. 13	Heather Lenore Young	F	Nelson Arthur Young	Linda Holmquist
Dec. 24	Kim Corinne Lawrence	F	Paul John Lawrence	Shirley Haven

DEATHS

Deaths registered in the Town of Rutland, Vermont for the year ending December 31, 1969.

Date of Death 1969	Name of Decedent	Sex	Age Yr.	Residence
Jan. 30	George Millett	M	91	Rutland Town
June 29	Grant J. Villemaire	M	62	Center Rutland
July 26	Kenneth E. Leach	M	66	Rutland Town
Sept. 8	Jessie M. Villemaire	F	64	Center Rutland
Dec. 25	Harley James Blakey	M	75	Center Rutland
Dec. 17	Percy A. Ross	M	82	Center Rutland
Dec. 20	William H. Dimick	M	63	Rutland Town

WARNING

The legal voters of the Town of Rutland and Town of Rutland School District are hereby warned to meet at Rutland Town Elementary School on Post Road, on Monday evening, March 2, 1970 at 7:30 P.M. to act on Articles 2, 3, 10, 11, and 17.

On Tuesday, March 3, 1970 at Ten O'Clock A.M. at Town Hall in Center Rutland to act on Articles 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16. The Polls will close at 6:00 P.M.

1. Choose all necessary officers required by law.
2. Shall the Town vote to raise money by tax or otherwise to pay current expenses of the Town, Highway and County? If by tax how much?
3. When and to whom shall the taxes be due and payable?
4. Shall the Town vote to take advantage of the Town Highway appropriation granted to the towns by the State, provided the Town spends not less than (\$50.00) Fifty Dollars per mile of their own money on Town roads outside of Winter maintenance as provided by Sec. 19 No. 250 Public Acts of 1957, as amended?
5. Shall the voters authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes?
6. Shall the Town vote to approve an appropriation of (\$2,500.00) Twenty-five Hundred Dollars to secure the use of the Rutland Free Library to the inhabitants of the Town?
7. Shall the voters of Rutland Town appropriate \$1,000.00 to supplement the cost of operating the Rutland Town baseball program, by the Center Rutland Athletic Club, Inc., for the children of Rutland Town? The understanding is that this program shall be operated with baseball facilities at both ends of the town.
8. Shall the Town of Rutland exempt from personal property taxation all livestock and poultry located in the Town of Rutland?
9. Shall the Town of Rutland vote to cooperate and join with other Rutland Region communities to continue the Rutland Regional Planning Commission as authorized by law (24 V.S.A. Section 4341) and authorize the legislative body to appoint a regular and alternate commissioner from the town and vote the sum of \$1,106.00 as its share of the expenses of the Commission?
10. Shall the Town vote its officers salaries? If so, how much?

11. Shall the Town School District vote to raise money by tax or otherwise, to pay current expenses of the School District? If so, how much?

12. Shall the Town vote to collect interest on over-due taxes as provided in Sec. 5136 of Title 32 V.S.A.

13. Shall the School Board be authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes?

14. Shall the Town School District vote a sum of money, not to exceed (\$80.00) Eighty Dollars, for a scholarship to be awarded to a worthy high school graduate of Rutland Town who wishes to attend an institution of higher learning, particularly a teachers' training college?

15. Shall the Town School District authorize the School Directors to install an approved fire detector system throughout the Rutland Town Elementary School Building at a cost of (\$5,000.00) Five Thousand Dollars as ordered by the Department of Public Safety and thereby make the Town School District eligible for a State Aid award of 30% of this amount?

16. Shall the Town School District authorize the School Directors to purchase playground equipment in the amount of (\$1,000.00) One Thousand Dollars and thereby make the Town School District eligible for a State Aid award of 30% of this amount?

17. To transact any other necessary, legal and proper business which may come before said meeting.

Rutland, Vermont, January 31, 1970

Grand List \$127,276.78

ROBERT W. SOLARI

FREDERICK C. GALLIPO

EDWARD H. HEMENWAY

Selectmen

Filed January 31, 1970
9:30 A.M.

FOR ALL FIRES

CALL

773-2565

Town of Rutland Fire Dept.



Mrs. Arthur Hayward
241 S. Main St.
Rutland, Vt. 05701